

Summer 2023

## Greetings Two Forty-Two partners!

What a joy it is to get to share this journey with folks who love Jesus like you do! There's no better mission on earth than the Great Commission and we are so grateful for your collaborative partnership!

If you are new, thanks for being here! *Two Forty-Two* is a church planting network made up of individuals and local churches who share a passion for taking the Good News of Jesus to the ends of the earth, with Acts 2:42-47 as a guide. We are really new at this and are grateful for your patience and partnership.

Our basic website is live! Take a peak at <a href="https://www.242network.org">www.242network.org</a>

Before we share our summer plans, we want to take a minute to share with you some exciting things that have unfolded this past spring!

We had our first **Church Planting Cohort weekend** in New England, gathering together with many prospective planters, future residents and dreamers. We are thrilled to catch a glimpse of the Gospel work ahead of us!

The Adsit family has wrapped up Church Planting Assessment and have officially been given the green light to help start more churches by Nexus, a church planting group out of Richardson, Texas. We can't wait to share more with you this Fall! Movement Christian Church in Merrimack, New Hampshire commissioned the Adsit family just a few weeks ago.

One of the best and most beautiful surprises of this season has been the emergence of **Steven and Heather Bell**, prospective New England planters who are beginning a church planting residency with Movement Christian Church - this summer has already exceeded expectations!

This Adsits have relocated to Tulsa and are taking a hard stop from formal Kingdom Work. They are currently on **a two month Sabbatical** through July. (For the record, this email is from Chris...regardless of the auto signature below, haha!) So what will that look like?

**Sabbatical** will include lots of rest, lots of fun, lots of delighting *in Jesus* and resisting urges to work. Sabbatical will include dinners around tables with friends, ice cream hangouts, early mornings, reading, and taking in all of the beauty of such a major life-family-kingdom-transition. The Adsits will worship where they are unknown, uncomfortably be on the receiving end of the local church and let the soil of their hearts, minds, and souls *be at rest in Christ*.

## Here's how you can pray for the Two Forty-Two mission:

- •PRAY for God to continue to stir up the hearts of potential church planters!
- •PRAY for Kingdom partners to emerge with hearts for Kingdom advancement.
- •PRAY daily at 2:42pm with us: "Father, use us to love like you love, to see the invisible and to invest in people outside the Kingdom for your glory alone."

  Be on the lookout for our next email update in early August! Thank you so much for your partnership in helping us take the Gospel to the ends of the Earth!

  Because of Jesus...

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